LEGISLATURE WILL

Governor Morehead Will Deliver Inaugural Address to Members Thursday.

TO HOLD NO INAUGURAL BALL

Executive Does Not Care for the Festivity and He So Indicates to Those Who Are Making Arrangements.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 3 .- (Special.) - Tuesday at noon the gavel will drop and the two Charlis butting in after Congressmanhouses of the Nebraska legislature will be elect Shallenberger had been given the called to order. In the senate Lieutenant right to name postmasters in the Fifth Governor McKelvie will preside until district. Bryan insisted that Campbell, Lieutenant Governor-elect James Pearson has been sworn in, which will be on right kind of a democrat, while Hoff-Thursday afternoon at the joint session meister insisted that the people of Im-

of the senate and house after Governor perial were able to do their own select-

Morehead has delivered his message, Over in the house Secretary of State Wait will open the ceremonies and after the formality of electing the speaker and other officers chosen by the democratic live continued considerably excited when majority the night before has been con- talking about the matter. cluded will turn the gavel over to the new speaker.

One Governor's Message.

On Thursday, probably in the afternoon the two houses will meet in representative half and listen to the message of Clovernor Morehead. As the governor succeeds himself, there will be but one mea sage, and that will probably be short and to the point, as the governor has already expressed himself in favor of a short message and will follow the program of President Wilson of going after one thing and seiving it and then go after another when the first is completed instead of recommending several things all at one

New Officers to Be Sworn In. The new state officers will then b sworn in by the chief justice, Charles W. Pool, democrat, succeeding Addison Wait republican, as secretary of state; George E. Hatl, democrat, succeeding W. A. George, republican, as treasurer; William H. Smith, democrat, succeeding W. H. Howard, republican, as state auditor; A O. Thomas, republican, succeeding J. E. Delzell, republican, as state superintendent; Willis E. Reed, democrat, succeeding G. G. Martin, republican, as attorney general; Fred Beckman, republican, succeeding himself as land commissioner; Thomas L. Hall, republican, succeeding himself as railway commissioner, and James Pearson, democrat, succeeding S. R. McKelvie, republican, as lieutenant governor and presiding officer of the state senate. In addition to these, Conrad Hollenbeck, nonpartisan, will succeed Judge M. B. Reese, republican, as chief justice of the supreme court.

There will be no inauguration ball. Governor Morehead believes in Jeffersonian turned to their work after a two weeks simplicity and really does not believe he vacation. so to save himself has called off the

Hotel in Beatrice Suffers from Fire

BEATFICE, Neb., Jan. 3 .- (Special Teltroyed the interior and the west end of the Butler hotel at Third and Court streets, driving the guests into the streets. The firemen succeeded in confining the flames to the part of the building, where the flames and The course of the flames are the flames and The course of the flames are th the fire broke out. The cause of the fire is unknown. The loss is placed at \$3,000, is unknown. The loss is placed at \$3,000, of Chicago this week. covered by insurance.

DES MOINES MAN CHOSEN FOR PLACE OF STATE CHEMIST

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 3.-(Special.)-W. F. state chemist in connection with the pure food department of the state to fill the returned here for future residence. Frishee of Des Meines has been appointed on a vacancy caused by the resignation of E.

L. Redfern, who has filled that position for many years and who accepts a similar westless with the lower food depart.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Tindell and W. H.

Tindell, sr., have returned to Chicago after visiting old friends here for a few days. position with the Iowa pure food department at a substantial increase in salary. Mr. Frisbee has been second in charge of the state chemist's department in Iowa for seven years and is a graduate of Yale.

COLUMBUS. Neb., Jan. 3.—(Special.)—
The installation of the new officers-elect of the Grand Army of the Republic took place Saturday night as follows: C. C. The installation of the new officers-elect of the Grand Army of the Republic took place Saturday night as follows: C. G. Hickok, commander; John R. Brock, senior vice commander; J. H. Galley, quartermaster; J. R. Blodget, junior vice commander. A. M. Clark about the first place is a refugeed from the death of her sister at that place. Mr. Atkinson went to the funeral Saturday.

The meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of Jennings church was postponed on Thursday on account of cold weather.

Theodore Wright was the guest of Miss May Blackett at her parents' home on South Forty-eighth street for the week-end. vice commander; A. M. Clark, chaplain; S. J. Cleveland, guard; W. A. McAllister, adjutant; E. R. Bisson, officer of the adjutant; E. R. Bisson, officer of the conditions of the conditions.

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Mrs. L. Durling and family of Walnut Hill were holiday guests of her eldest daughter. Thayer, Mo. He reports a fine time and good hunting in the Ozarks.

adjutant: E., R. Bisson, officer of the good nunting in the Ozarks.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Otto and daughter,
Lucile. were New Year's guests at the C.
Stelger home. They are en route to their
race for postmastership this week. The
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James Haney and Dan Kavanaugh. No
time has been fixed for the primary yet
by Congressmann Dan V. Stephens, but

The following Bensonites were licensed
to wed this week: David Miner of Benson to Mise Goldie McCabe of Rockford,
Ia.; Lourence Thorsen of Irvington to
Mary Schaefer of Benson.

dent; W. J. Gregorius, vice president; Anton Vogel, treasurer; Louis Held, secretary; G. W. Viergutz, manager; Alois Frischolz, trustee; William Schwader, cierk of trustees.

Gage County Ships Flour. BEATRICE, Neb. Jan. 3.-(Special.)-Gage county's carload of flour for the Helgian sufferers was shipped Friday from Blue Springs to New York. The car, which contained 900 sacks, was consigned to W. C. Edgar, publisher of the Northwestern Miller, who is promotor of to the movement to send flour to stricken Steyer's father. Belirium.

Thomas Search, an old resident of the Barneston vicinity, died Thursday night, aged 62 years. Heart trouble was the cause of his death. He is survived by a widow and two children.

Jacob Wiebe and Miss Helen Tighrt were married Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiahrt, near liong, in the presence of nearly 260 guests, Rev. John Penner, officiating.

Check Your Spring Cough. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will stop your cough and strengthen your lungs. bottle now. Only 25c. All druggists.-Advertisement.

Nebraska

Patronage Fight Causes Squabble In Hotel Lobby

ing without the aid of Prince Charlie.

Joe Berger May Jump

At the close of the argument both men

(From a Staff Correspondent.) House to Talk Over Plans to LINCOLN, Jan. 3 .- (Special Telegram.) For over an hour this evening Charle Bring Change. W. Bryan and Representative Fred

Hoffmeister engaged in a heated dis-PUBLIC MEN WILL ATTEND cussion in a remote corner of the lobby of the Lindell hotel, at times the waving of arms and the shaking of fingers "

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System Will Be Theme for Discussion. of a postmaster at Imperial, the home of the representative from Hitchcock county, the latter objecting to Brother

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 3 .- (Special.) - A short ballot conference will be held at the state house, Lincoln, January 15. conference, which is said to be the first of its kind ever held in this state, is bethe Shallenberger candidate, was not the ing promoted and will be held under the auspices of the Nebraska Popular Govrnment league. At the afternoon session the discussion will be led by Victor Rosewater,

editor Omaha Bee; F. L. Bollen, Crof-

said the argument was a friendly one, ton, former state representative and but it was noticed that the representachairman of the Popular Government league; L. E. Aylsworth, Lincoln, professor of political science, University of Nebraska: F. A. Brogan, Omaha, former president of the State Bar association, and W. L. Locke, Lincoln State Journal. At the evening session J. N. Norton, To Federal League Polk, state representative; R. Beecher Howell, Omaha, republican national committeeman; E. L. Havelone, Beatrice, ROCK ISLAND, III., Jan. 3 .- Joe treasurer Gage county; A. E. Sheldon, Berger, utility infielder of the Chicago Lincoln, director Legislative Reference Americans, who was sold recently to the bureau, and C A. Sorensen, law student Yankees, may jump to the Federal and secretary of the Popular Government league. He received a visit and an offer league, will lead the discussion. Sentoday from Otto Stifel of the St. Louis ator Nerris has written that he will at-Federals. Berger said the offer was tend if he can possibly get away. considerably more than he received last Some of the subjects which will be

"But if the terms offered me by Rup-pert are what I expect I will stay with Organized base ball," he added. "The Application of the Short Ballot to State Offices."

Nebraska Nebraska

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"The Short Ballot and County Offices."
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committee to work with the legisla-

TO SAVE DOOMED BRITON

LEEDS, England, Jan. 2 (Via London)-Lord Mayor Bedford has appealed to the According to a statement in the Nord-American minister at The Hague, Henry deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, a summary Lonsdale, an English soldier who has been cial press bureau in Berlin, Germany no to the first embarrassed couple which The purpose of this conference, says sentenced to death in Germany by a su- longer considers binding the exequaturs came to him. C. A. Sorensen, secretary, 'Is to crytal- perior court-martial for attacking one of of consula in any territory which has lize the rapidly growing sentiment in the guards at the prisoners' camp at been occupied by Germany during the favor of the short ballot. It is ex- Doeberitz. Lonsdale's home is in Leeds. war.

ected that the conference will appoint The lord mayor received a telegram tonight from Mr. Van Dyke, the American minister at The Hague, saying he was doing everything possible in behalf of

EXEQUATURS NO LONGER CONSIDERED BINDING

AMSTERDAM, a.Jn. 2 (Via London.)-

Chicago Marriage License Clerks Busy

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.-Cupid started the New Year with a rush here today, the marriage license bureau with three extra clerks employed, lasuing a permit a

"Best resolution you could make," "The Direct Primary and the Short Van Dyke, in behalf of Private William of which was given out today by the offi-

> Read the "For Sale" ads if you want bargains of the minute.

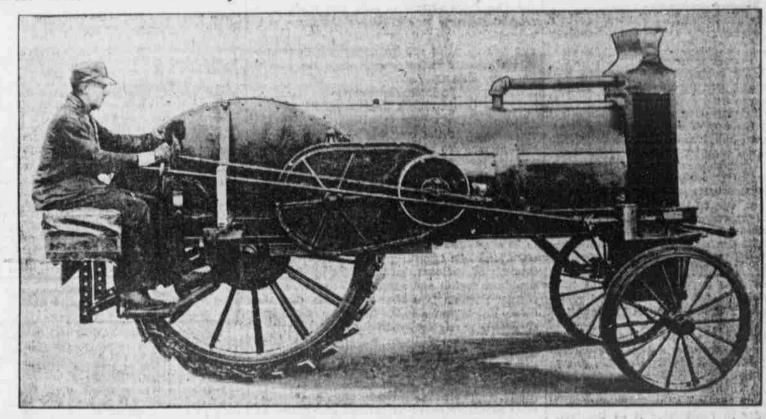
Here Are Some of the Proofs--The Reasons Why the Hart-Parr "Little Devil" Oil Tractor Is So Positively Reliable and Durable

In a previous announcement we told you, in a general way, what the "Little Devil" is and what it does. In this advertisement, we give you positive proof that the "Little Devil" is more reliable, more durable, and far superior to any other tractor on the market.

Frame-This is the arch plate girder type. Hot riveted throughout, giving the stiffest, strongest and lightest form of frame construction known.

Gears—Only seven gears and pinions used in getting two speeds forward and two speeds reverse. No differential gears with their multiplicity of parts to cause trouble; no governor or cam gears. Just a total of seven gears. All are spur gears—not a bevel gear in the outfit—and all are made of toughest steel—all well protected and well lubricated—all except two encased and running in oil. That's why there's no change for gear breakage and mighty little change for gear wear in the "Little Devil."

Heavy Duty Ball Bearings-Throughout-except engine and rear axle bearings. You know how ball bearings work. They do away with frictionneed no adjustment. They wear longer, work smoother-will stand more abuse and run longer, without oil, than any other bearings known. They are expensive but they are the best-the most reliable-most durable. That's why we use them in the "Little Devil."



The Motor-Has no cams, cam gears or push rods. No valves, valve levers, springs or flippers of any kind-no valve timing. Just two, smooth, substantial cylinders, with some holes in them of proper sizes and in the proper places-not one thing about them to adjust or to get out of adjustment. Nothing but the two pistons and their connections that even move-consequently nothing else to wear. You know what causes the trouble in motors-the cams pound the pushers—the joints get loose—the springs get weak—the valves hammer the valve seats—and pretty soon everything starts to wear—gets loose—clatters and bangs. The valves get out of time—your engine loses power—you have to stop to adjust it, or something breaks and you are laid up for repairs. The "Little Devil" motor has none of the claptraps about it—just some holes bored in the cylinders. It can't get out of adjustment. There is nothing to get loose—there is nothing to break. The holes stay right where they are put—you go right along, day after day, with nothing to bother you and you get just as much power from the "Little Devil" at the end of the day, as when you started. The motor is covered with a neat, substantial hood, just like an auto. All other vital, moving parts are thoroughly well protected from dust, dirt and grit.

Two Complete Systems of Ignition-One standard magneto, the other dry cells. If one system gets out of order, you can go right ahead on the other, without a moment's delay.

Simplest Form of Carburetor Known-has positive feed injection, without fuel or water pump. No air valves or springs, nothing to adjust, nothing to get out of order.

Lubrication-Positive, automatic, force feed lubricator. Just pour in the oil and the lubricator does the rest.

Automatic Liquid Cooling System -- The cooling liquid is furnished with the tractor and lasts for years. It can't freeze or lime up. It cools the motor perfectly in hottest or coldest weather and requires absolutely no attention.

JOIN FORCES WITH THE "LITTLE DEVIL"

If you're a farmer, you want a "Little Devil" on your farm. You'll need it for getting your spring plowing done and your crops started on time. It does all the work three or four good teams can do—even cultivating growing crops—and it does it better, quicker and cheaper than horses. In addition, it will do all your belt work, for which you now use one or more stationary or portable gas engines. But don't delay. "The Little Devils" are going mighty fast. And the sooner you get your order in, the more likely you will be to receive your "Little Devil" in time for spring work. The price is only—

\$750 Just \$100 per horse, equivalent horse \$750 power. ONE-HALF the price of horses A TIP TO DEALERS

If you're a dealer, don't overlook the golden business-building, trade-cementing possibilities which will be yours if you handle the "Little Devil" in your locality. Don't let your competitor beat you to it. But get in touch with us at once and close for the territory you want, if it isn't already taken,

The "Little Devil" is now on exhibition at the Auditorium. Come and look it over. See for yourself why this wonderful farm power sensation appeals to every farmer. Then get in touch with our representative at "Little Devil" headquarters, 118 Paxton Hotel. Watch This Space Tomorrow for the Reasons Why Every Farmer Should Let the "Little Devil" Do His Work

HART-PARR

Factory and Main Office, Charles City, Iowa

discussed are:

Notes From Omaha's Suburbs

year from the Chicago club.

Miss Carrie Seaback has gone for a short visit to Schuyler, Neb. Harry Rivett and Frances visited relatives in Lincoln last week end.

Mr. and ars. W. O. Chandler, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A Taylor, returned to their home at Wainut, Ia., Monday.

Mrs. V. R. Shelley, and week.

Mrs. V. R. Shelley entertained at large watch party New Year's eve. Corliss Totman of Lincoln visited local friends and relatives the last week. Miss Lillian Steiger went to Plattsmouth this morning to visit at the Smith home

J. M. Oringduiph of Wisner spent New Year's day with his daughter, Mrs. J. N. Horton. Nebraska university students have re

A. N. Bliss of Miller, Neb., was a guest would cut very much of a swell dancing at the William Butler home during the last week.

George Speedie of Neligh, Neb., has re-turned home after a visit at the home of his brother.

Several parties during the week were in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Liljenstolpe of Scott's Bluff, Neb. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Senger have returned to Ashland after a visit to their daugh-ter, Mrs. W. H. Loechner.

Will Wilson of Raymond, Neb., vis-ited Benson friends on Wednesday, while on a business trip to Omaha.

Miss Mae Nichols and Miss Edna Week-ley of Vailey are spending a few days at the L. P. Byars home on Fifty-seventh street. Misses Clara Nordley and June Grove return this evening to their work at Wes-leyan university after a two weeks' vacu-

it is expected it will be held some time this month.

At the annual meeting of Columbus Orpheus society the following officers were elected: John H. Hinkleman, presi-

Florence.

Mr. J. B. Brisbing, who has been very ill, is able to sit up.

Mr. B. G. McCloud returned to Chicago the first of the week.

Miss. Form. Provided at Porcest Associated was a brother of Mrs. G. W. Arnold of Omahs.

Miss. Form. Provided at Lawn Wednesday, He was a brother of Mrs. John Bieke. Mrs. F. S. Tucker is reported on the

Miss Emma Davis spent New Year's with her friends at Peru, Neb. Miss Kerns and Mr. Walter Kerns have returned to their home at Stanton, Neb. Mr. C. R. Liese and son of Carthage, S. D., were guests of Mrs. M. A. Pilant

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Steyer were called to Freeport, Ill., by the death of Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver G. Chase of Mann-ville, N. D., spent the holidays with Mr. Chase's parents.

Mrs. T. A. Lemon and daughter cave returned from St. Louis, where they spent the holidays.

Mrs. W. B. Grosvenor was called very suddenly to Bloomfield, Ill., by the sud-ten death of her sister. Mrs. H. J. Witte and daughter re-turned Wednesday from lows, where they have been visiting. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McLane and family have returned from their holiday trip spent at Lincoln and Ceresco, Neb.

The Florence schools will open Monday morning. Two weeks will finish the first semester and then the pupils will enter upon the new year's work.

J. H. Price spent New Year's at Missouri Valley with his wife and daughter returning Saturday. Mrs. Price and Miss Florence will return today.

The following teachers have returned

Harrington family.

The following teachers have returned from their vacations: Miss Krisi from Lincoln, Miss Meyer from Sutton, Miss Meyers from Beatrice, Miss Cole from Norfolk and Miss Kirkpatrick from Lex-

R. E. Harrington and family of Lin-oln returned to their home Tuesday, naving spent the holidays with the H. W.

Miss Madelyn Horton of Clarks, Neb., has returned after a two weeks' visit her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Graff of Great Falls, Mont., are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter. Mrs. Graff, who was formerly Miss Lillian Bondesson, came ing a week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Forney.

George Speedie of Neligh, Neb., has returned home after a visit at the home of his brother.

Mrs. William Butler entertained at Sunday dinner for the Washburn-Sumption wedding party.

Wist with friends and relatives.

Monday will see the university students from Florence back in their places, Miss Luia Mae Coe and John Butter, and the following will return to the state farm, Helen Letovsky, Nell Lonergan and Will Boettger.

The Ponca Kensington club met with Mrs. O. Dinkins, Wednesday. All en-joyed a very pleasant afternoon, and the next meeting will be held at the home or Mrs. Krenzer. Those present were Mesdames Morin, Sachs, Krenzer, Bro-derson, Jasperson, Alback, Letovsky and Raymond.

West Ambler.

Miss Ethel Hammond has had as her collday guest Miss Carol Bauman of Fre-

Mrs. Charles Buarmar was the New Year's guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller. Mrs. S. C. Campbell and son, Walter, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hastings on Friday.

Miss Lillian Givens and Mrs. H. S. Miller have been confined to their homes with severe cases of tonsilitis. Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald left for Les Angeles on Sunday, where they will visit relatives until April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilner Blackett had as their New Year's guest Mr. and Mrs. Coral Miller of Monmouth Park. Mrs. M. McGrail of Ashland has been the holiday guest of her mother, Mrs. M. Moore, on South Fifty-first street. The young people of West Side gave a surprise watch meeting party for Miss Emma Weisenberg New Year's eve.

Miss Maric Carisen, having spent the holidays with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Ola Carlsen, here, leaves Monday for

Gladys and James Shandy Rave been the week's guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Shandy, at their home on the Heights. Ethel, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams, is very low with heart disease at the family home, Forty-eighth and Woolworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Parker had a their week-end guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stultz, at their new home on west Vinton.

Mrs. John Blake will entertain the Women's Christian Temperance union at its semi-monthly meeting at her home in Echennen on Thursday afternoon, Jan-

Miss Eizabeth Long, who has been spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Robert Long, at West Point, Neb., returns Sunday as teacher of manual training in Miller Park school. Mrs. M. Chambers, who has been the guest of Mrs. Frank Dunn in West Side, left Saturday for Onibashee, is., where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. O. C. Mead, and family, formerly of West Side.

George W. Lee of Oklahoma has been risiting friends in this vicinity the last Mrs. R. T. Propst and children spent Christmas with relatives in Piatts-

Miss Margie Taylor departed for Plain-view to spend the holidays with her par-ents there. Mrs. E. Johnson and Mrs. John Olsen of Council Bluffs were guests of Mrs. Swan Anderson Wednesday evening.

Miss "Allie Houston and Miss Alice Gleave of Chicago were New Year guests of Miss Corrine Armstrong in Omaha."

view to spend the holidays with her parents there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Taylor and family of Waukomis, Oki., arrived this week for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. William Howard gave an afternoon tea Thursday at her home. Quiling Mrs. Gerrett Jennsen left Sunday for la number of guests were invited.